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SENATOR SYAS: Just one short statement. It's always been affective, last year, and all other years that we start at 1:30 at this particular time of the session. Just because today was new and a lot of them didn't make it, but when they get in the habit, I think they will be here at 1:30. Now we've got to either start at 1:30 or cut off the half hour of legislative stuff. And I don't care what you do, one way or the other because we've got fifteen more days. And we're going, but if you want to get some of your bills and have a chance of getting of them, you'd better use the half hour and start at 1:30, otherwise forget it. Like I'll adjourn when the time comes, regardless of what's up there. One of my bills, if you are right in the middle of reading it.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Senator Carpenter, did you want to be recognized.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Yes. Did speaker put up a list of the choices of the Senators.

CLERK: The speaker informed me that he wasn't going to take the list up until the end of the day.

SENATOR CARPENTER: O.K. then I move that we go to General File considering the bills as they come, if there is one object we skip and go to the next one.

CLERK: Well, we will have to start on 302...

PRESIDENT: We have a little hurdle to get over, we had 3 bills unbracketed for today, Senator Carpenter, and I think the Chair would have to have some specific motion to go past those.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Well, I move we leave them where they are at.

PRESIDENT: All right, wait a minute. Speaker I think is ready to respond. Speaker Proud.

SPEAKER PROUD: We discussed this business of bills that are bracketed for a specific date, now I have not prepared the list of preferred bills yet. We are going -to do that this evening, and you will have them on your desk tomorrow. The reason lthat I waited was because some Senators hadn't made up their minds, which bill they wanted put up there, so it would be my suggestion that we go right through General File. But I think if a bill is bracketed for a time certain. I hope we don't have much more of that kind of thing. But since we do have them bracketed for a day certain, I feel it is only fair that we take up the bracketed bills that are bracketed for today. To start with. And then start out at the top of General File.

PRESIDENT: All right, the first bill off then will be LB302. Committee on Health. Now Senator Stahmer for what purpose do you rise.

SENATOR STAHMER: Well, Mr. President, I think that many of the Senators interested in this bill, mainly Senators Nore and Whitney and myself were the three who were on the sub-committee that drafted this bill. There are not here now and I'd to at least temporarily we pass over until some of them get back.